

# Notice of Exemption

**To:**  Office of Planning and Research  
State Clearinghouse  
1400 Tenth Street, Room 113  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**From:** Department of Fish and Wildlife  
**WILDLIFE CONSERVATION BOARD**  
P.O. Box 944209  
Sacramento, CA 94244-2090

**County Clerk (County of):** N/A

**Attention:** Alyssa Persau

**Project Title:** Green Gulch Farm Water Storage and Flow Enhancement Planning, Project ID: 2021043

**Project Applicant:** Wildlife Conservation Board (WCB)

**Project Location - Specific:** APNs 200-020-21, 199-160-17

**Project Location - City:** Muir Beach

**Project Location - County:** Marin

**Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:** This planning project will prepare engineered designs and secure permits and CEQA compliance required to implement improvements to the water supply and distribution system at Green Gulch Farm (GGF). Primary goals of the project are to remove an existing on-channel reservoir and significantly reduce or eliminate direct surface diversion during critical stream flow periods, and to provide sufficient and reliable water supply and storage to sustainably run the Farm through future droughts and climate change.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** Department of Fish and Wildlife, WCB

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** John P. Donnelly, Executive Director, WCB

**Exempt Status:**

- Ministerial (Sec. 15268):
- Declared Emergency [Sec. 15269 (a)]:
- Emergency Project [Sec. 15269 (b) and (c)]:
- Categorical Exemption: State Section number and type:
- Statutory Exemption: Section 15262; feasibility or planning studies for possible future actions that the agency has not approved, adopted or funded.

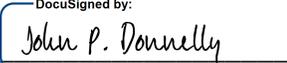
**Reasons why project is exempt:** Project involves only environmental analysis or planning studies for possible future actions which the agency, board, or commission has not approved, adopted, or funded.

**Lead Agency Contact Person:** John P. Donnelly

**Area Code/Telephone/Extension:** (916) 445-0137

**If filed by applicant:**

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a notice of exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project?  Yes (by this notice)  No

Signature: DocuSigned by:  
  
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Date: 4/22/2021

Title: Executive Director

Signed by Lead Agency  Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.  
Reference: Section 21108, 21152, 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

**Date received for Filing:**

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WCB Board Meeting Folder